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TOURING - Deputy Directors and District Agricultural Officers - Review for the half year ending 30-6-1949.

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Office of the Director of Agriculture,
P.B.No.412, Chepauk, Madras.
Dated 16th September 1949.

MEMORANDUM.

Sub: Review of tours made by Deputy Directors of Agriculture and District Agricultural Officers during the half year ending 30-6-1949.

I. Tours. There were 49 officers on duty during the half year under report either as Deputy Directors of Agriculture or District Agricultural Officers, of these, 18 officers were on duty for the full period and the rest for varying portions of the half year. The tours performed by them are given in a statement attached (Appendix I).

II. Minimum Tour. All the officers have put in the minimum number of tour days required except the seventeen officers whose names are given in Appendix II.

III. Short touring. The seventeen officers who have deficit in tour days are made up of 3 officers who were Deputy Directors, 13 who were District Agricultural Officers and one who was both Deputy Director and District Agricultural Officer during the half year. The deficit in tour days ranges from 1 to 38 days.

In the case of the 4 Deputy Directors the deficit ranges from 3 to 38 days. Sri P.A.Nat[illegible]san has the highest deficit in tour days viz. 38 days and he has not given any reasons for the short tour. These officers draw only ordinary travelling allowance for the days they tour and so the short tour in their cases is condoned. They are however informed that they should in future tour for the minimum period.

The deficit in tour days in respect of the 14 District Agricultural Officers ranges from 1 to 25 days. Janab S.M.Sulaiman has the highest deficit of 25 days. These officers draw fixed travelling allowance and they have no valid excuse for their short touring and it is therefore ordered that the officers, whose names are given below, should refund the fixed travelling allowance drawn by them for the case of short touring noted against them.

1. Janab Md. Khasim Adani	.. 7 days.	8. Sri M.Satyanaraya moorthy	.. 3 days.
2. Sri K.Veerabadra Rao	.. 1 "	9. " K.Santhanam	.. 7 "
3. " M.Somayya	.. 2 "	10. " K.Raman Menon.	.. 2 "
4. " P.L.Narasimham	.. 9 "	11. Janam S.M.Sulaiman.	25 "
5. " M.Narasimham	.. 7 "	12. Sri T.S.Francis	.. 1 "
6. Janab Mirza Anser Baig	.. 4 "	13. " K.Varadhachari.	1 "
7. Sri K.Rama Rao	.. 6 "	14. " M.Gopala Unnithan	.. 4 "

The above officers should report the particulars of amount refunded within a fortnight. They are also informed that they should avoid touring in future.

IV. Night halts. All the Deputy Directors and District Agricultural Officers are specially instructed by a circular issued on 23-12-1948 and also in the review for the previous half year that their might halts should not be less than 50% of their total tour days. A good number of officers have put in adequate number of night halts. There are, however, 17 officers who have failed to carry out the above instructions and their names are given below.

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Name of officer.	Deficit in number of night halts.		
1. Sri A.Chidambaram Pillai	6	10. Sri K.Srinivasacharya	17
2. " P.A.Nathan	3	11. Janab S.M.Sulaiman	6
3. " A.Ram Mohan Rao	4	12. Sri T.S.Francis	9
4. " B.S.Krishnan	4	13. Sri K.Varadhachari	12
5. " M.Ramamoorthy	3	14. Sri K.K.Ramasubbier	3
6. " M.Surya Narasimham.	6	15. Sri A.M.Muthayya Nattar	1
7. " V.Surya Narayana	2	16. Janab M.Obaidullah Shah	2
8. Janab P.P.Syed Mohammad	6	17. Sri R.Govindaramiah	20
9. Sri G.Sakharama Rao	3		

The District Agricultural Officer, Nellore and Special District Agricultural Officer, Araku have not furnished information on night halts in their tour statement submitted by them.

The officers are informed that the deficit in night halts is viewed with displeasure and that names of officers who continuously fail to carry out instructions in this regard will be reported to Government.

V. Villages visited. During the half year under report, the officers visited 4049 villages as against 3966 villages during the previous half year. The officers are informed that, though there has been slight increase in the number of villages during the half year under report over that of the previous half year, they should cover even greater number of villages with jeeps at their disposal and relief in office work pertaining to audit of depots and thus see that their subordinate officers make sincere efforts to step up food production in their respective areas.

VI. Audit. The audit of depot was continued to be attended by the special audit staff during the half year under report and hence no remarks.

Sd/- R.M.Sundaram,
Director of Agriculture

To all Deputy Directors of Agriculture and District Agricultural Officers including Special District Agricultural Officers, Pattukottai and Araku and Additional District Agricultural Officer, Calicut.

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Food and Agriculture Department, Fort St. George, Madras, with appendices I & II.

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Superintendent,
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APPENDIX.

Particulars of tours made by Deputy Directors of Agriculture and District Agricultural Officers for the half year ending 30-6-1949.

S.No. & Name of Officer.	Designation.	No. of days on duty.	Minimum No. of tour days.	ACTUAL No. of tour days (night halts shown in brackets.	Deficit.	No. of villages visited.	No. of audits.	REMARKS
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1. Sri K.Venkataraman.	Deputy Director of Agriculture Vizagapatam.	135	90	93(55)		76		
2. Janab Md.Khasim Adeni		46	30	23(13)	7	119		
3. Sri N.Subramania Iyer	Dy.Director of Agriculture,Eluru.	90	60	59(44)				
4. Sri M.Subramania Pillai		91	60	84(65)		151		
5. Sri K.Venkataraman.	Guntur.	46	30	30(19)		74		
6. Sri L.Narasimhacharya.		99	66	68(46)	2	39 141		
7. Sri V.N.Subbanna Charya.	Cuddapah.	105	70	74(53)	25	85		
8. Sri V.Satagopan		43	29	35(24)	-	71		
9. Sri N.Subramania Iyer	Vellore.	23	15	19(7)	1	33		
10. Sri V.K.Subramanya Mudr.		137	91	91(50)	1	107		
11. Sri A.Chidambaram Pillai.	Tanjore	36	24	20(4)				
12. Sri M.P.Sankaran Nambiar		122	81	104(52)	-	74		
13. Sri T.G.Muthuswami Iyer.	Madura.	181	120	117(82)	--	152		
14. Sri M.P.Sankaran Nambiar.	Coimbatore.	53	35	27(15)				
15. Sri P.A.Nathan	"	135	90	52(47)		35		
16. Sri P.A.Nathan.	Dy.Director of Agriculture, Ootacamund.	96	25	29(11)		10 162		
17. Sri A.Rama Mohan Rao.	Dt.Agrl. Officer, Chicacole.	48	32	32(6)				
18. Janab Md.Khasim Adeni.		133	88	81(20)	5*	5 57		*one tour day made up as D.A.O. Chittoor.
19. Sri V.Rama Rao.	Anakapalle	73	48	55(31)	-	144		
20. Sri K.Veerabadra Rao		108	72	71(37)		4 50		

1	2	3	4	5	6.	7.	8.	9.
21. Sri M.Somayya	Dist.Agril. Officer, Eluru	16	11	10(5)	1	7		
22. " B.S.Krishnan.		165	109	114(53)		47		
23. " P.L.Narasimham	D.A.O. Kakinada	181	120	111(72)	9	111		
24. " Sri M.Ramamurthy.	D.A.O. Guntur.	181	120	124(59)		89		
25. " K.Bhusharam.	D.A.O.Kistna.	144	95	96(54)		122		
26. " M.Narasimham.	" Nellore	37	25	18(3)	7	19		
27. " M.Subramania Pillai.	"	83	55	57		45		
28. " K.L.Ramakrishna Rao.	"	42	28	29		18		
29. " Janab Mirza Anser Baig	" Cuddapah.	181	120	116(70)	4	65		
30. " K.Rama Rao	" Bellary	181	120	114(57)	6	51		
31. " T.Lakshmipathi Rao	" Anantapur.	41	27	28(19)		23		
32. " M.Satyanarayana-moorthy		120	80	75 (38)	5*	95 12		*2 tours days made up as D.A.O. Ootacamund
33. " V.Suryanara	" Kurnool	16	11	16(6)	X			
34. " M.Somayya	"	148	98	97(64)	1	69		
35. " M.Gopala Unnithan	" Chittoor.	126	84	84(57)		96		
36. " A.Ram Mohan Rao		47	31	32(22)		38		
37. " R.Anandapadmanabha Pillai.		8	5	8(7)		10		
38. Janab U.B.Mohd. Abbas.	" Chingle-put.	139	92	93(50)		71		
39. Sri K.S.Ramanna Rai		19	13	13(7)		12		
40. " V.Rama Rao		23	15	16(6)		9		
41. " K.Santhanam.	"Cuddalore	165	109	102(51)	*1	53		*short tour of one day made as D.D.Vell
42. Janab P.P.Syed Mohammed Sahib	" Vellore	181	120	121(54)		170		
43. Sri G.Sakharama Rao	" Salem.	139	92	95(39)		23		
44. Sri K.Ramam Menon	"	42	28	28(14)		50		
45. Sri K.Srinivasa Charya.	" Coimba-tore.	181	120	121(49)		50		
46. Janab M.Sulaiman Sahib	"Tanjore.	139	92	67(27)		47		
47. Sri K.S.Krishnamoorthy.		48	28	30(20)		34		

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
48. Sri T.S.Francis	D.A.O. Tiruchi.	42	28	27(4)		20		
49. " K.Varadhachari.	" [illegible]	131	87	86(31) 141(67)		56		
50. " A.K.Ramasubbiar	" Tirunelveli	181	120	[illegible]	4	26		
51. " A.M.Muthayya Nattar.	" Madura	181	120	120(59)		117		
52. Janab M.Obaidullah Shah	" Ramnad	181	120	122(59)	3	134		
53. Sri K.Sivasomkara Menon.	" Kalicut	181	120	120(75)	8*	22	*Deficit food D.D. (Tanjc	
54. Sri S.Madhava Rao	" Ootacamund.	105		39(10)	38	83		
55. Sri M.Satyanarayana-moorthy		18	12	14(6)		28		
56. Sri K.G.S.Bhandari	D.A.O.Mangalore	181	120	126(75)				
57. Sri M.Gopala Unnithan,	Addl.D.A.O. Calicut.	15	10	5(4)	7	51		
58. Sri M.Mukundan		166	110	123(97)				
59. Sri R.Govindaramaiah	Spl. D.A.O. Pattukottai	181	120	120(40)		68		
60. Sri K.Bhushanam	Spl.D.A.O. Araku	10	6	8	1	87		
61. Sri T.Rangabrahma Rao		171	94	132				

APPENDIX II

S.No.	Name of Officer.	Post held during the half year.		Deficit during the half year.	
1.	Janab Md.Khasim Adeni.	Dy.Director of Agriculture, Visakhapatam.		7	days
2.	-do-	Dt.Agricultural Officer, Chicacole		7	"
3.	Sri A.Chidambaram Pillai	Dy.Director of Agriculture, Tanjore		4	"
4.	[illegible] Sri T.G. Muthuswami Iyer.	-do-	Mathurai.	3	"
5.	Sri P.A.Nathan	-do-	Coimbatore.	38	"
6.	Sri K.Veerabadra Rao	Dt.Agricultural Officer.	Anakapallee.	1	"
7.	M.Somayya	"	Elluru.	1	"
	-do-	"	Kurnool		
8.	Sri P.L.Narasimham	"	Kakinada	9	"
9.	" M.Narasimham	"	Kistna	7	"
10.	Janab Mirza Anser Baig.	"	Cuddapah	4	"
11.	Sri M.Rama Rao	"	Bellary	6	"
12.	Sri M.Satyanarayanamoorthy,	[illegible] "	Anantapur	3	"
13.	Sri K.Santhanam	"	Cuddalore	7	"
14.	Sri K.Raman Menon.	"	Salem	2	"
15.	[illegible] Janab S.M.Sulaiman	"	Tanjore	25	"
16.	Sri T.S.Francis	"	Tiruchi.	1	"
17.	Sri K.Varadhachari	"	" D.O.	1	"
18.	Sri M.Gopala Unnithan.	Addl. Dt. Agri.Officer. Calicut	Calicut	4	"

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
Abstract.

TOURING - Deputy Directors and District Agricultural Officers - Review for the half year ending 30th June 1949.

FOOD & AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.

G.O.Ms.No.1359. Dated the 8th November 1949.

Read:also: From the Director of Agriculture, No.W.2.Pdl.34-49, dated 16-9-1949.

ORDER:

R E C O R D E D.

2. It is observed that the Director of Agriculture has condoned short-touring in the case of Regional Deputy Directors of Agriculture on the ground that these Officers draw travelling allowance only under the Madras Travelling Allowance Rules. The Government desire to point out that these officers are intended primarily for inspection and supervisory work, that touring for at least the minimum period is essential for the proper discharge of their duties and that short touring in their cases should not be condoned. There is now a greater need for a strict and close supervision of the work of the subordinate officials as Intensive Cultivation Schemes are in full swing. A strict circular should be issued that short touring will not be condoned in future.

3. It is also seen that among District Agricultural Officers, Janab S.M.Sulaiman has the highest deficit in minimum touring. The Director of Agriculture is requested to obtain his expalation and submit it to the Government.

BY ORDER OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR.

Sd/- x x
Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Agriculture.

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